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SUBJECT: FOLLOW-UP ACTIONS TO PRESIDENT'S VISIT: AMBASSA-
DOR SMITH'S VISIT

REF: A) BRASILIA 2852; B) BRASILIA 2848

1. PARAGRAPH 14 OF REF A CALLS FOR THE SETTING OF DATES
FOR VISIT BY AMBASSADOR SMITH TO DISCUSS US NON-PROLIFERA-
TION LEGISLATION AND FUEL SUPPLY FOR ANGRA 1. THIS WAS
PROPOSED BY THE PRESIDENT. PRESIDENT GEISEL RESPONDED THAT
PRESIDENT CARTER WOULD BE HAPPY TO RECEIVE AMBASSADOR SMITH
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FOR THIS PURPOSE, EXPRESSING "CONFIDENCE THAT NO PROBLEMS
WOU EMERGE."

2. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO INFORM BRAZILIAN AUTHORITIES
THAT AMBASSADOR SMITH WOULD BE AVAILABLE ON FOLLOWING
DATES: MAY 22-23 OR MAY 10-11 OR MAY 15-16 (LISTED IN
ORDER OF PREFERENCE). WE WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING WHAT

DATES WOULD BE CONVENIENT TO BRAZILIANS, AND, IN ADDITION, WHO WOULD RECEIVE AMBASSADOR SMITH. WE ASSUME HIS MEETINGS WOULD BE WITH APPROPRIATELY SENIOR BRAZILIAN OFFICIALS. (FOR YOUR INFORMATION: TENTATIVE PLANS ARE FOR SMITH TO BE ACCOMPANIED BY OES DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY NOSENZO, ACTING ASSISTANT LEGAL ADVISOR BETTAUER, AND SPECIAL

ASSISTANT TO AMBASSADOR SMITH ROBERT KELLEY. END FYI). WE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S THOUGHTS ON STRATEGY SMITH SHOULD FOLLOW IN DISCUSSING THE TOPICS SUGGESTED BY THE PRESIDENT, AND WHETHER OTHER NON-PROLIFERATION ISSUES SHOULD BE RAISED.

3. WITH RESPECT TO REF B, IF EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT DISCUSSION OF NON-PROLIFERATION LEGISLATION WITH FOREIGN MINISTRY IS NECESSARY AND WOULD NOT DETRACT FROM SMITH VISIT, IT IS AUTHORIZED TO MAKE PRESENTATION DRAWING ON STATE 60855, STATE A-1055 AND STATE 39449. EMBASSY SHOULD AVOID MAKING ANY DIRECT STATEMENTS THAT FRG-BRAZIL NUCLEAR ACCORD WILL NOT BE AFFECTED BY NEW LAW. RATHER, POINT SHOULD BE MADE AS IN PRESS GUIDANCE (STATE 87926) THAT NEW LAW NOT DIRECTED AT ANY NATION OR AGREEMENT. VANCE

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